



TO: NASDA Field/Telephone Enumerators
FROM: Logan Bradley-Trietsch
DATE: October 4, 2024
SUBJECT: Vegetable Grower Inquiry

GENERAL INFORMATION & INSTRUCTIONS

	VEGETABLE GROWER INQUIRY
Stat Contact	Logan Bradley-Trietsch/Mike Laird
Stat Phone	517-318-3191/517-324-5313
Project Code	137
Sample Size	207 (IN), 528 (MI), 418 (OH)
Mail Date	Thursday, October 24, 2024
Phone/Field Dates	Friday, November 15 – Tuesday, December 31
Available for Phone	TBD
Last Day to Submit by CAPI	Tuesday, December 31 @ 11:59 pm
Release Date	Mid-February 2025

MATCHES WITH OTHER SURVEYS

The Vegetable Grower Inquiry will have a limited number of coordinated surveys with FCUS and ARMS2, as well as the Potato Grower Survey, Cost of Pollination, and November Ag Yield.

WHY SHOULD I REPORT?

Vegetable estimates are needed by the vegetable industry to help growers. The vegetable industry is incredibly important to our region’s agricultural economy and grower surveys are the only way we can document how much vegetables really do count. Vegetable statistics are used by everyone in the industry to help serve the farmer by getting grant money, farm bill representation, and extension coverage.

FSA’s non-insured crop disaster assistance program (NAP) utilizes the estimates derived from this survey to pay growers for crop losses that are not covered by insurance. Without this survey, NAP payments could be calculated based on the lower price of those processed vegetables from across the country.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your NASDA coordinator or the office.